IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

KEITH A. SOMERS,

Plaintiff,

No. CIV S-05-0741 MCE EFB P

VS.

BPT COMMISSIONER M.

PEREZ, et al.,

ORDER

Defendants.

Plaintiff is a state prisoner prosecuting this civil rights action without counsel. Pursuant to the June 14, 2006, schedule, plaintiff's pretrial statement is due March 2, 2007, defendants' pretrial statement is due March 16, 2007, pretrial conference is set for March 23, 2007, and trial is set for June 13, 2007. Because defendants' motion for summary judgment is pending, the above dates are vacated. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b).

On January 8, 2007, plaintiff filed a motion for a preliminary injunction. It appears to the court that plaintiff is complaining of inability to access the law library in order to research, compose and file an opposition to defendants' motion for summary judgment. Good cause appearing, plaintiff is relieved of the obligation to file an opposition until the court rules on his motion for a preliminary injunction. Defendants are directed to respond to plaintiff's motion.

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Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The dates set forth in the June 14, 2006, scheduling order are vacated;
- 2. Plaintiff is temporarily relieved of his obligation to file an opposition to defendants' motion for summary judgment until such time as the court rules upon his motion for preliminary injunction; and
- 3. Defendants are directed to file a response to plaintiff's January 18, 2007, motion for a preliminary injunction within 20 days of the service of this order.

Dated: March 14, 2007.

EDMUND F. BRENNAN

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE